MARYLAND - DISTRICT 3

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	SMALLEST	LARGEST	COUNTIES	
Farms				
Number	318	781	412	
Acreage	34,679	75,795	39,846	
Average size (acres)	84	125	97	
Median size (acres)	31	35	34	
Estimated market value average po	er farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	456,780	691,409	531,542	
Machinery/equip (dollars)	43,618	50,649	48,562	
Cropland (acres)				
Total	23,227	54,361	30,609	
Harvested	16,891	42,430	23,535	
Irrigated	751	1,188	763	
Agricultural products sold - marke	t value			
(\$1,000)	12,621	51,179	19,610	
(dollars avg. per farm)	30,635	65,530	61,667	
Agricultural sales - Net cash return	n per farm			
(dollars average)	8,698	17,182	8,806	
Livestock inventory (number)				
Cattle and calves	2,149	9,642	6,321	
Beef cows	1,967	2,210	2,089	
Milk cows	1,357	2,865	2,111	
Hogs and pigs	203	2,480	1,254	
Sheep and lambs	227	3,004	477	
Layers 13 wks or/older	828	828	828	
Broilers and chicken (sold)	0	93	47	
Harvested commodities (acres)				
Corn, grain or seed	4,911	16,088	7,632	
Corn, silage or green chop	N.	. 0,000 N	0	
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	0	
Wheat	2,057	2,491	2,211	
Barley	230	1,524	1,272	
Oats	N	N	0	
Rice	N	N	0	
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Sunflower seed	N	N	0
Cotton	N	N	0
Tobacco	0	763	0
Soybeans	4,717	9,072	5,156
Dry edible beans, excl limas	N	N	0
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes	N	N	0
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	0
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	0
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	0
Hay-alfalfa	3,810	8,603	6,502

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Vegetables				
Number of farms	26	82	53	
Acreage	243	2,455	716	
Orchards				
Number of farms	N	N	0	
Acreage	N	N	0	

Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture